

a fabric having its ends united by a single thread formed into two fabric-penetrating loops of unequal length; the longer one forming a fabric-anchor and placed with the
5 shorter, thus forming a common loop, and an overedging-loop formed from the thread which forms the shorter fabric-penetrating loop, the latter loop chained to the two former on the line of fabric union, thus overedging
10 the same, as and for the purpose set forth.

2. As an improved article of manufacture a fabric having its ends united by a single thread formed into two fabric-penetrating loops of unequal length and an over-fabric
15 loop formed from the same thread, the two former loops being chained to the latter and the said chaining being on the line of fabric

union, thus covering the same, as and for the purpose set forth.

3. A fabric having its opposite edges united 20 by a thread formed into a plurality of loops extending through the joined edges of the fabric and placed together below the fabric forming a common loop, and a loop formed from the thread above the fabric which is 25 engaged with the common loop on the line of fabric union, thereby covering the same.

In testimony whereof I have hereunto set my hand, this 22d day of June, A. D. 1899, in the presence of two witnesses.

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Witnesses:

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